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MEMORANDUM FOR: See Distribution

SUBJECT: IDEALIST Operations

1. The nickname "PURPLE SHAFT" (UNCLASSIFIED) is designated for all correspondence pertaining to the project formerly referred to as [REDACTED]

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2. The unclassified nickname "PURPLE SHAFT" will be used as a slug in message traffic pertaining to this operation. The classified code word is [REDACTED]

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Lt. Colonel USAF  
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